NOTICE OF A CITIZENS INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS TO NC 273 (SOUTH MAIN STREET) FROM TUCKASEEGEE ROAD (AT BEATTY DRIVE) TO HIGHLAND STREET (AT SOUTH MAIN STREET) IN MOUNT HOLLY

TIP Project No. U-3633

Gaston County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold the above Citizens Informational Workshop on Tuesday, June 16, 2009, between the hours of 4:00 pm. and 7:00 pm. at the Mount Holly Citizens Center, located at 400 East Central Avenue, Mount Holly, 28120.

Maps denoting the proposed project area will be displayed and NCDOT representatives will be available to discuss the project and answer questions. Written comments are encouraged. Citizens may drop-in anytime during the workshop hours. Please note: there will be no formal presentation. A Citizens Informational Workshop is held to provide the public an opportunity to participate in the planning process and update them on a project's status. Comments and information received from the public will be taken into consideration as work on this project progresses. Additional public involvement will be conducted throughout the development of the project.

NCDOT improvements may include the widening of NC 273 (South Main Street) to a multi-lane facility from Tuckaseegee Road (at Beatty Drive) to Highland Street (at South Main Street) and providing accommodations for pedestrians and bicyclists. The purpose of the project is to increase the capacity and enhance safety along NC 273. Additional right of way and possible residential and business relocations will be required for construction.

Anyone desiring additional information may contact the project engineer, Kristina Solberg, Project Development and Environmental Analysis, 1548 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1548, phone (919) 733-7844 ext. 259; fax (919) 733-9794 or email: klsolberg@ncdot.gov.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this workshop. Anyone requiring special services should contact Ms. Solberg as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.